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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

This submission is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 14, 2008. Claims 1-4, 9, 10, 12-19, 21-24, 26, 29-33 and 35-45 have been restricted under 35 U.S.C. § 121 as follows:

- I. Claims 1-4, 9, 10 and 12-19, drawn to a method of creating a preferential conduction pathway,
- II. Claims 21-26, 29-33 and 35-42, drawn to a method/means for causing expression of connexin or a gap junction.

Applicant hereby elects Group II, which includes claims 21-26, 29-33 and 35-42, without traverse.

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